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From: Clark, Josie
Sent: Mon 8/17/2015 5:19:17 PM
Subject: Re: DRAFT message for InfoPage

Wally - Scott won't have the EOC ready for briefing until later this afternoon.
Recommend pushing this announcement out at the end of the day today.

-Josie

From: Moon, Wally
Sent: Monday, August 17, 2015 10:05 AM
To: Williamson, Ann
Cc: Terada, Calvin; Clark, Josie; Adams, Wendy; Magorrian, Matthew; Field, Chris
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I think this captures all the comments and edits well. I will work on a shorter title and publish on the InfoPage asap.

Thanks everyone for your input.

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From: Williamson, Ann
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Title: R10 Lends Support to Gold King Mine Release, Typhoons in U.S. Territories of Saipan and Guam (may be too long for Infopage...)

R10 is providing support to R8 and R9 at the Gold King Release and Tropical Storm Goni and Typhoon Soudelor in the U.S. Territories of Saipan and Guam.

Curious about the Agency's efforts to address the Gold King Mine release? Did you know Agency staff have been deployed to the typhoon-ridden U. S. Territories Guam and Saipan? For current Gold King Mine release information, there is a public website: <http://www2.epa.gov/goldkingmine>. There is no EPA public website developed for our relief efforts for Typhoon Soudelor and Tropical Storm Goni.

R10 has been contacted by HQ, Regions 8 and 9, and FEMA Region 10 to actively support response efforts associated with several on-going disasters and thus activated our **Regional Incident Coordination Team (RICT)**. RICT activation means that we will be reaching out to key leadership position members of Region 10's **Incident Management Team (IMT)** and/or **Response Support Corps (RSC)** volunteers 'in good standing' about deployment to the responses. We are not, however, recruiting new RSC volunteers at this time.

Our Regional Emergency Operations Center (REOC) on the 13th floor has been activated and is now coordinating support for emergency field operations. Feel free to visit the REOC if you'd like additional information about the Region's work in response to these emergencies.

The details below provide information about the deployments to date. As additional requests to fill positions at the Gold King Release or Typhoon response are received, the RICT will be working with the REOC Planning Support Section and the RSC Coordinator to identify possible individuals that have the necessary skills and expertise

to fill the requested position, and are available to deploy within the requested period. There are also potentially opportunities to work in the REOC, as the need arises.

The following REOC and RICT positions have been activated:

REOC:

Regional Incident Commander (Calvin Terada)

Dep. Regional Incident Commander (Wally Moon)

Planning Support Section Chief (Josie Clark)

Resources Support Leader (Matt Magorrian)

Finance Support Section Chief (Jennifer Johnson)

RICT:

RICT Chair (Ann Williamson)

RICT Acting Vice Chair (Peter Rubenstein)

As of **17 August 2015**, below is a listing of Region 10 staff that have been deployed or are scheduled to deploy:

Gold King Mine Release:

1. OSC Heister – Operations Section, Farmington, New Mexico (R9)
2. RPM Moreen – Planning Section, Durango, Colorado (HQ)
3. Public Information Officer MacIntyre—Durango, Colorado (HQ)
4. Critical Incident Stress Management-- Wendy Adams, Durango, Colorado (HQ)
5. OSC Weigel--Incident Commander, Durango, CO (R8)

Typhoon Soudelor in Support of R9:

1. OSC Becker – FEMA Joint Field Office/Emergency Support Function #10, Saipan (R9)

Tropical Depression Goni in Support of FEMA Incident Management Assistance Team (IMAT):

1. OSC Sibley – FEMA IMAT, Guam (FEMA)

The REOC is tracking any and all requests for support coming to the Region. If Program Offices or staff receive deployment requests, including the use of Response Support Corps members, please immediately contact and coordinate with our RICT and RSC leadership: Ann Williamson (Chair) at 3-2739 or Peter Rubenstein ('acting' Vice-Chair) at 3-1067.